

REMARKS

Careful consideration has been given by the applicant to the Examiner's comments and formal grounds of objection and rejection, as set forth in the outstanding Office Action.

Applicant gratefully acknowledges the Examiner's indication that with the exception of formal corrections, the claims appear to be directed to allowable subject matter, and upon the implementation of appropriate amendments, allowance of the application may be expected.

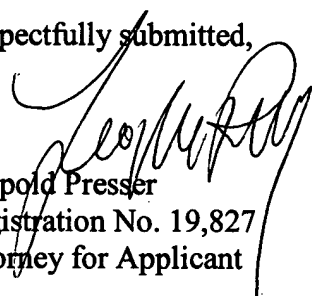
Concerning the revisions to the specification, applicant resubmits the paragraph on Page 1, beginning on line 6, in which a minor typographical error has been corrected.

Furthermore, applicant has also identified the appropriate locations, with regard to the corrected paragraphs previously presented and apologize for the inconvenience in designating the various locations. In the event that the Examiner has queries concerning this particular point, applicant's attorney respectfully requests that he be accorded the courtesy of possibly a telephone conference to discuss these particular matters, if necessary.

Furthermore, applicant notes the Examiner's formal ground of objection to the claims, and amendatory action has been taken throughout, in conformance with the Examiner's requirements, so as to provide appropriate antecedent terminology and correct the designation as to the particular method steps.

Accordingly, inasmuch as the applicant has amended the application with regard to all of the points raised by the Examiner, the early issuance of the Notice of Allowance is earnestly solicited. However, in the event that the Examiner has any queries concerning the instantly submitted Amendment, applicant's attorney respectfully requests that he be accorded the courtesy of possibly a telephone conference to discuss any matters in need of attention.

Respectfully submitted,



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